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Outllok 2001 is require for Macs to coexist w/ PC's in company that base
their communication on Exchange Server.

The current version of Outlook 2001 for Mac OS 9 is buggy. Apple is
attempting to transition customers to OS X.

By delaying or canceling the release of an OS X native version of Mac
Exchange client, MS serves a blow against the adoption of Apple's Mac OS X
(Unix) operating system.

Here is yet another way MS jerks around the competition...

http://www.thinksecret.com/features/outlookx.html

Mac OS X-compatible release of Microsoft Outlook unlikely
By Nick dePlume, Publisher and Editor in Chief

The release of Mac Outlook 2001 last year was a milestone for both Apple and
Microsoft, bringing the Mac version of the corporate messaging/PIM
application up to par and improving Apple's push in business environments
using Exchange servers.

Last July, as the company was rushing to carbonize Office for Mac, Think
Secret learned from Microsoft insiders that an OS X-native release of
Outlook was very unlikely, largely because of the amount of time and
resources it would require. A source on the show floor of Macworld Expo/San
Francisco earlier this month confirmed those reports, saying that the
company will rely on the Entourage component of Office to satisfy the
corporate email gap, even though Entourage cannot work as an Exchange client
like Outlook.

The initial release of Outlook 2001 included full compatibility with
Exchange servers and a Mac-like interface.